

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

No. 5:12-CV-171-FL

AMBER PRATHER, )  
Plaintiff, )  
v. ) ORDER  
CAROLYN W. COLVIN, )  
Acting Commissioner of Social Security, )  
Defendant. )

This matter is before the court on the Memorandum and Recommendation (“M&R”) of United States Magistrate Judge Robert B. Jones, Jr., regarding the parties’ cross-motions for judgment on the pleadings. No objections to the M&R have been filed, and the time within which to make any objection has expired. This matter is ripe for ruling.

Upon careful review of the M&R and of the record generally, having found no clear error, the court hereby ADOPTS the recommendation of the magistrate judge as its own, and, for the reasons stated therein, plaintiff's motion is GRANTED, defendant's motion is DENIED, and this matter is REMANDED to the Commissioner under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) for further proceedings consistent with this order and the M&R, as incorporated herein. The clerk of court is directed to close the case.

SO ORDERED this the 9th day of September, 2013.

Louis W. Elanagan

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LOUISE W. FLANAGAN  
United States District Judge